

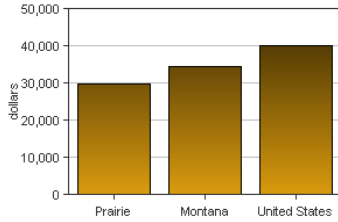
# Prairie, Montana

Prairie is one of 56 [counties](#) in Montana. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2008 population of 1,092 ranked 52nd in the state.

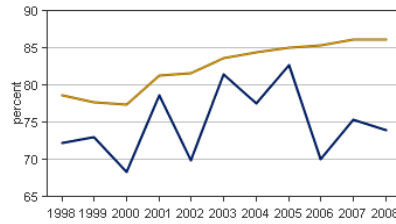
## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2008 Prairie had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$29,704. This PCPI ranked 38th in the state and was 86 percent of the state average, \$34,622, and 74 percent of the national average, \$40,166. The 2008 PCPI reflected an increase of 0.1 percent from 2007. The 2007-2008 state change was 2.0 percent and the national change was 2.0 percent. In 1998 the PCPI of Prairie was \$19,687 and ranked 26th in the state. The 1998-2008 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

**Per Capita Personal Income, 2008**



**Per Capita Income as a Percent of the United States, 2008**



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## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

	2007-08 percent change	1998-2008 AAGR
Prairie	3.4 %	2.8 %
Montana	3.2 %	5.8 %
U.S.	2.9 %	5.0 %

*AAGR: average annual growth rate*

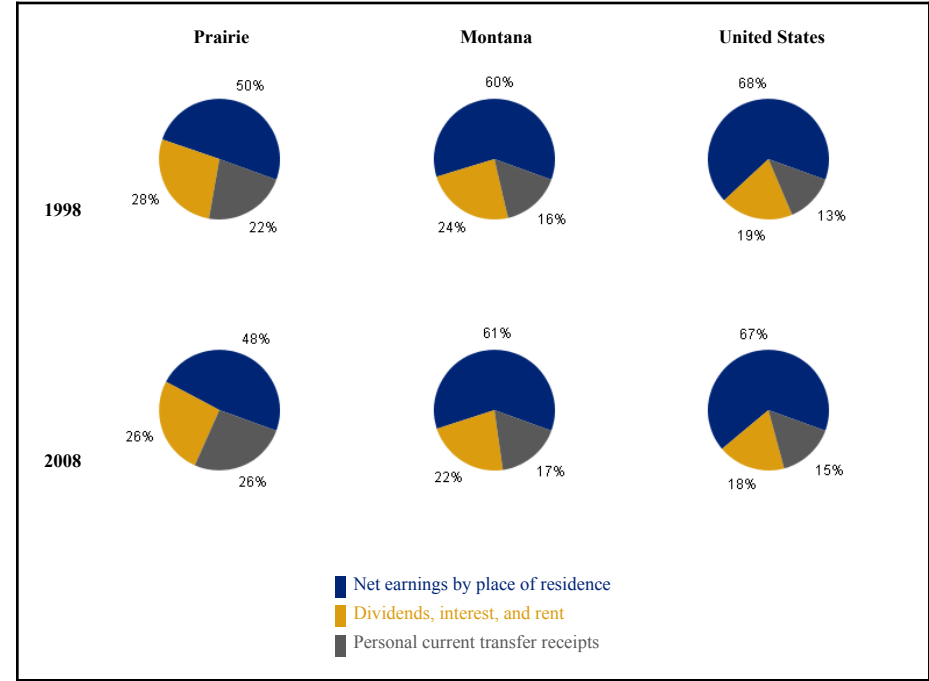
In 2008 Prairie had a total personal income (TPI) of \$32,437\*. This TPI ranked 52nd in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1998 the TPI of Prairie was \$24,687\* and ranked 50th in the state.

\*Note: Total personal income estimates are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Prairie.

Percent Contribution to Total Personal Income



2007-2008 percent change			
	Prairie	Montana	U.S.
Net earnings	3.6 %	2.7 %	2.0 %
Dividends, interest, and rent	1.2 %	0.1 %	1.3 %
Personal current transfer receipts	5.4 %	9.6 %	9.2 %

1998-2008 average annual growth rate			
	Prairie	Montana	U.S.
Net earnings	2.2 %	5.8 %	4.8 %
Dividends, interest, and rent	2.3 %	5.0 %	4.2 %
Personal current transfer receipts	4.4 %	6.6 %	6.7 %